

*Executive Proclamation*  
*State of South Dakota*  
*Office of the Governor*

**WHEREAS**, The Eagle Scouts of America are trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent; and,

**WHEREAS**, Kevin Rhoades, a young man from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, has been participating in scouting, earning many merit badges and skill awards in a myriad of areas; and,

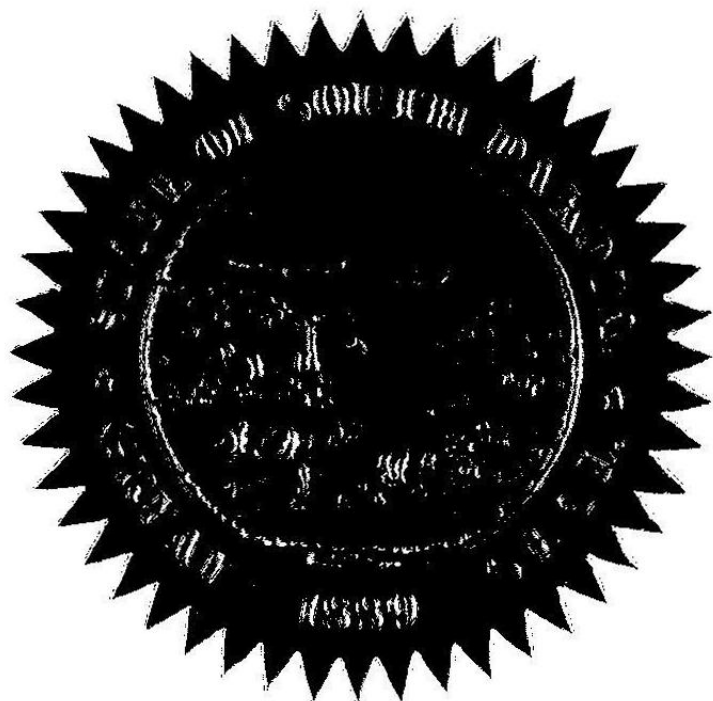
**WHEREAS**, Kevin has been striving for the ultimate goal in scouting, to become an Eagle Scout; and,

**WHEREAS**, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of the major accomplishments in the lives of South Dakota's young people:

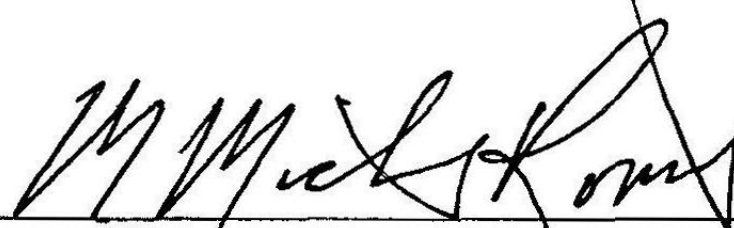
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, M. Michael Rounds**, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 15, 2005, as

*KEVIN RHOADES DAY*

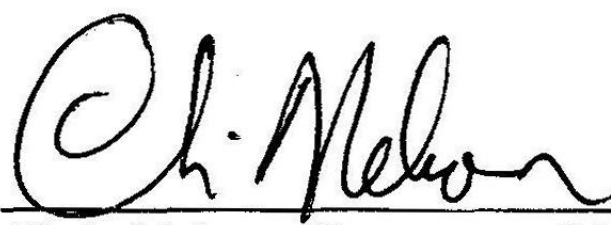
in South Dakota.



*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-eighth Day of January in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Five.

  
M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

  
Chris Nelson, Secretary of State